

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 2811 Examiner: Hung K. Vu

PETITION FOR

TWO-MONTH

EXTENSION OF TIME

In Re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Applicant(s): Kenichi YOSHIMOCHI

Serial No.:

10/813,236

Filed:

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For:

SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE FOR

SWITCHING (as amended)

Atty. ref.:

AI 331

March 1, 2006

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the period for replying to the Examiner's Action mailed on October 5, 2005, be extended for two months under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

The applicable extension fee of \$450.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(2) is submitted herewith.

Should this remittance be accidentally missing, or should any additional fees be required, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 18-0002 and advise us accordingly.

March 1, 2006

Date

Respectfully submitted,

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